GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

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ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE TO UPPER KRISHNA PROJECT
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether environmental clearance to Upper Krishna project in Karnataka has been accorded;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefore; and

(d) the time by which clearance is likely to be granted?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a) Yes Sir,

(b) Upper Krishna project has been taken up for implementation in phases. Stage − I, phase −I was not referred to this Ministry for environmental clearance. Phase −II, III, and stage − II were referred and were accorded environmental clearance on 05. 04.1989, 18.07.2000 and 04. 10. 2000 respectively.

(c) & (d) Do not arise.